Election Overview

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Election Preparation

- Candidate Filing
 - Regular
 - Write-In
- Ballot Draw
 - Authorize printer
- Sample Ballot
 - No less than 65% of actual size
- Early Voting
 - 13 days before the election



Election Preparation (continued)

- Election Officials/Poll Workers
 - 4 officials (2 sets/different political parties)
 - Training
 - Pay



Election Day

- Polling place hours
- Oath
- Set-up
 - Signs
 - Voting booth
 - Ballot box
 - 2 Keys
 - Poll book



Election Day (continued)

- Provisional Ballot
 - Do not sign
 - List (Clerk/Recorder research)
- Closing Polls
 - Oath
 - Absentee ballots
 - Early Voting ballots



Election Day (continued)

- Counting Ballots
 - 2 read 2 tally
- Post Results on Door



Early Voting By Mail

- Class IV
- Pass ordinance
- Notice to West Virginia Secretary of State's Office
- Train

